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SUBJECT: ELECTRIC POWER FROM POLAND TO WEST BERLIN AND FRG

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1. APROPOS OF REPORT PARA 5, REF B THAT FRG MIGHT APPROVE INTEREST-RATE SUBSIDIES FOR PROJECTS INVOLVING SUPPLY OF ENERGY FROM EASTERN EUROPE COUNTRIES TO FRG, KLEINDIENST (HEAD OF FRG INTERZONAL TRADE OFFICE) INFORMED MISSION OFFICER AUGUST 23 THAT PLAN TO TRANSMIT ELECTRICITY TO FRG FROM POLISH POWER PLANTS WAS UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION. HE SAID BERLIN POWER COMPANY ARGUES STRONGLY THAT TRANSMISSION LINES TO FRG SHOULD TRANSIT BERLIN SO THAT INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE TO BERLIN WOULD CUT OFF REVENUE FROM SALES TO FRG. (THIS CAN BE SEEN AS ATTEMPT TO REVIVE, IN MODIFIED FORM, EARLIER PROPOSALS THAT FRG-FINANCED POWER PLANTS ON ORDER TRANSMIT ELECTRICITY TO BERLIN. SEE PARA V.B., REF C.) KLEINDIENST ALSO SAID SUCH TRANSMISSION LINES COULD NOT

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BE PART OF NETWORK LINKING USSR AND FRG, AS CALLED FOR

IN SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR WESTERN-FINANCED NUCLEAR POWER,
BECAUSE OF HIGHER VOLTAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR LONGER DISTANCE.
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